

States and by the State of Nebraska. The United Nations in 1959 made a declaration of the rights of the child, and this is the 20th anniversary year of that declaration. It is internationally being celebrated in all countries and in this nation we have a special national commission of 24 presidential appointees to prepare a method of celebration and rededication of the principle of acknowledging the specialness of the resource of children in our nation. Representative Virginia Smith is one of the 24 presidential representatives and it would behoove us to support her by putting the State of Nebraska on record in favor of the International Year of the Child. I would also like to add that Governor Thone has by gubernatorial proclamation also encouraged and added his endorsement of the Year of the Child. The purpose of the state wide recognition is to acknowledge that here in this state we will be having a state wide meeting, planning to discuss our participation and develop a method of implementation and an assessment of subsequent activities. They will be broken down nationally and in this state into eight different areas. Childnurturing health, education, juvenile justice, development through recreation playing, cultural arts, equal opportunity in cultural diversity, impact of media on children and children around the world. I would ask for the adoption of the resolution by the members of the legislature.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Motion is the adoption of LR 95. All those in favor vote aye, opposed vote no. Have you all voted? We are voting on LR 95. Clerk will record the vote.

CLERK: 32 ayes, no nays Mr. President on the adoption of the resolution.

SPEAKER MARVEL: The motion is carried, the resolution is adopted. We now go to LR 105 and the Chair recognizes Senator Wesely first and then Senator Newell. Senator Wesely.

SENATOR WESELY: Thank you Mr. Speaker. LR 105 was co-introduced by a number of senators because of our concern about faculty salary levels and some incentives built into the pay plans at the university to encourage excellence among faculty members. Since the resolution was drafted and introduced some more information has come to light and one of the sections of the resolution deals with the question of cash awards for faculty. It has come to our attention that there are presently about 20 or so cash awards presently provided by the university to faculty both in terms of outstanding teaching and outstanding research. Presently there